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ZFWU.S. DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION (RCE)**
TRANSMITTAL FORM (37 C.F.R. § 1.114)

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| DOCKET NO. 10191/1867 | APPLICATION SERIAL NO. 09/897,870 | EXAMINER Kevin P. RIZZUTO | ART UNIT 2183 |
| | Filing Date July 2, 2001 | CONFIRMATION NO. 1391 | |

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This is a **Request for Continued Examination** under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 (RCE) of application Serial No. **09/897,870**, filed on **July 2, 2001**, entitled **METHOD FOR CONTROLLING THE PROGRAM RUN IN A MICROCONTROLLER**.

The following constitutes the submission **required** by 37 C.F.R. § 1.114(a) and is attached:

- ☒ Please enter the accompanying Amendment After Final Rejection responsive to the March 13, 2006 Final Office Action.
- ☐ Information Disclosure Statement and Form PTO-1449
- ☐ Drawing Changes
- ☐ Other Submission: _____

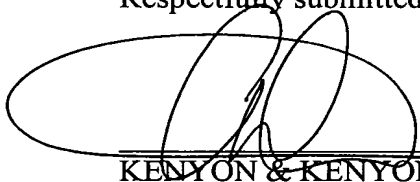
1. The filing fee for this RCE and the required amendment/submission is calculated below. The fee below is calculated based on the status of the claims after the entry of the attached amendment/submission. The fee for any new additional claims is included with this RCE, the fee for previously entered additional claims having already been paid.

| | CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT | MINUS | HIGHEST NUMBER PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR | PRESENT NUMBER EXTRA* | RATE (\$) PER CLAIM | FEE (\$) |
|--|--|-------|---|---|------------------------|-----------------------|
| BASIC FEE | | | | | | 790.00 |
| TOTAL CLAIMS | 32 | - | 31 | 1 | 50.00 | 50.00 |
| INDEPENDENT CLAIMS | 4 | - | 3 | 1 | 200.00 | 200.00 |
| MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM | | | | | 360.00 | |
| 09/06/2006 HLE333 00000012 110600 09897870 01 FC:1801 790.00 DA | | | | *Number extra must be zero or larger | TOTAL | 1,040.00 |
| | If Applicant is a small entity under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.9 and 1.27, then divide total fee by 2, and enter amount here. | | | | | SMALL ENTITY TOTAL |

2. Please charge the required RCE and submission filing fee of **\$1,040.00** to the deposit account of Kenyon & Kenyon LLP, deposit account number 11-0600.
3. Applicants respectfully request a **three-month extension of time** in which to respond to the Final Office Action dated March 13, 2006, for which a response period expiring on June 13, 2006 was set. The extended period expires on **September 13, 2006**. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of the 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a) extension fee of **\$1,020.00** to the deposit account of Kenyon & Kenyon LLP, deposit account number **11-0600**.
4. The Commissioner is also authorized to charge payment of the fees, including any additional and/or extension fees required, associated with this communication or arising during the pendency of this application, or to credit any overpayment, to the deposit account of Kenyon & Kenyon LLP, deposit account number 11-0600.
5. A duplicate copy of this transmittal form is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

Dated: 9/1/2006



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